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Weekend Closures on Dan Ryan Expressway, CTA Station

CHICAGO – The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) announced that overnight lane closures will be required, weather permitting, on the Dan Ryan Expressway (Interstate 90/94) at 63rd Street on Saturday, Dec. 5, and Sunday, Dec. 6. The closures are necessary to install beams for the 63rd Street bridge reconstruction.

A full closure of the Dan Ryan's express lanes in both directions will take place, weather permitting, late Saturday to Sunday morning. The Chicago Transit Authority's Red Line station at 63rd Street and one lane of the southbound local lanes also will be closed temporarily.

Starting at 9 p.m. Saturday, the left lane of the southbound express lanes will be closed, with a second lane closing at midnight. All of the southbound express lanes will be closed between 1 a.m. and 7 a.m. Sunday.

In the northbound express lanes, the left lane will be closed at 9 p.m. Saturday, with a second lane closing at 11 p.m. All of the northbound express lanes will be closed between midnight and 7 a.m. Sunday.

One lane of the southbound local lanes will be closed from 9 p.m. Saturday to noon Sunday.

The Red Line station at 63rd Street will be closed from 10 p.m. Saturday to 6 a.m. Sunday. Free shuttle buses will operate between the Garfield and 69th Street Red Line stations during the temporarily closure to serve affected customers.

Click <u>here</u> to find details on other construction projects in IDOT's District 1. Updates on the impacts to traffic are available at <u>www.travelmidwest.com</u>